Health Services. In hospitals and institutions under this Ministry, officers have been specifically designated for redressal of grievances and the complaints are duly attended to and replies are given to the persons in due course, as far as possible unless the complaint is settled on the spot. In the year 1985, out of a total of 50 cases received by the Grievances Redressal Committee functioning in the Directorate General of Health Services, 24 cases have been disposed of by the Committee.

Import of railway wagons

2434. SHRI K. VASUDEVA PANICKER: Will the Minister of TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are considering a proposal to import 6,000 railway wagons/bodies during the year 1985-86;

(b) if so, what are reasons therefor; and

(c) whether wagon building industry in the country does not have the capacity to meet the requirement of the railways?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Question does not arise.

(c) Wagon building Industry in the country has enough capacity to meet the requirements of railway wagons.

Difficulties faced by the Ad-hoc teachers of the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan

2435. SHRI DINKARRAO GOVINDRAO PATIL: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received any letters from some members of Parliament in April, 1985 and November, 1985, regarding difficulty being faced by the ad-hoc teachers working as Work Experience Teachers (Sewing and Needle Work)/ SUPW in the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan if so, what are the details thereof;

(b) what action has been taken to provide relief to such teachers; and

(c) if the answer to the part (b) above be in the negative, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE (SMT. SUSHILA ROHATGI): (a) A communication was received from a Member of Parliament in April, 1985 recommending regularisation of services of an ad-hoc SUPW teacher. The general category of SUPW teachers are regular members of the cadre and for them there is no such problem.

(b) and (c) There is no provision for regularisation of services of ad-hoc teachers in the rules of recruitment in Kendirya Vidyalaya Sangathan. An ad-hoc teacher like other applicants has to apply for the post when recruitment is made and can be appointed in a regular post only after proper selection.

Recognition of M.P. Diploma in costume design and dress making by the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangthan

2436. SHRI DINKARRAO GOVINDRAO PATIL: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the 3 year diploma in costume design and dress making from Government Women's Polytechnic, Bhopal (awarded by the Madhya Pradesh Board of Technical Education) is recognised by the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, for appointment to the posts of Works Experience (Sewing and Needle Work)/ SUPW teachers in the Kendriya Vidyalayas;

(b) if not, what are the reasons therefor; and

(c) what are the details of other similar diplomas/degrees recognised by the Sangathan for this purpose?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE (SMT. SUSHILA ROHATGI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) The Diploma in Costume Design and Dress Making from Government Women's Polytechnic, Bhopal is not included in the qualifications prescribed by the Central Board of Secondary Education for the post of Work Experience Teacher (Sewing and Needle Work) which has been redesignated as SUPW teacher (Sewing and Needle Work) in the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan.

(c) A statement is attached.

Statement

Diplomas/Degrees recognised by the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan for the recruitment of SUPW Teachers (Sewing and Needle work)

Graduate with:

(a) Diploma in Tailoring, Needle Work and Embroidery from any of the following institutions:

(i) Lady Irwin College, New Delhi

(ii) Govt. Industrial Training Institute, Kashturba Gandhi Marg, Delhi

(iii) Punjab Govt., Technical Board, Simla

OR

(b) Certificate of Tailoring Course in Women's and Children's Garments from Department of Technical Education, Maharashtra.

(c) Diploma in Crafts Making (Tailoring) from the Social Welfare and Rehabilitation Directorate, New Delhi.

(d) Nine months/One year Training Cource Certificate in Cutting and Tailoring for Women Instructors from Central Training Institute for Women Instructors, New Delhi.

OR

(e) Teachers Training Course in Needle Craft and Certificate in Embroidery & Fancy Work from the Board of Technical Examination, Maharashtra.

OR

(f) Group Certificate in Needle Work & Dress Making, Lower Examination in Tailoring & Tech, Teachers Certificate from the Govt. of Madras.

OR

B.Sc. (Home Science) B.Ed.

OR

Diploma Holders of 3 years course in Home Science of Lady Irwin College provided the teacher is Matriculate of a recognised Board/University.

OR

Holders of Home Science Diploma from the Institute of Home Economics, New Delhi.

Ban on appointment of ad-hoc teachers in the Kendriya Vidyalayas

2137. SHRI DINKARRAO GOVINDRAO PATIL: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have issued any instructions banning the appointment of ad-hoc teachers in the Kendriya Vidyalayas in the counry;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the ad-hoc teachers who have put in continuous service for three/four years with usual breaks